

STATE of WISCONSIN



OFFICE of the GOVERNOR

No Nominations

WHEREAS, the home is an essential part of the foundation of family and civic life; and

WHEREAS, shelter is a basic human need; and

WHEREAS, studies show that home ownership increases community involvement and supports family stability; and

WHEREAS, the home construction industry is a significant source of jobs; and

WHEREAS, every new home supports at least three full-time, family supporting jobs; and

WHEREAS, the home construction industry supports a variety of Wisconsin natural resource and manufacturing jobs, ranging from timber production to manufacturing and retailing; and


WHEREAS, every 1,000 new homes generate an average of \$117 million in household income for Wisconsin residents and \$15.2 million in tax revenue to support schools, roads, and communities;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Scott Walker, Governor of the State of Wisconsin,
do hereby proclaim April 2013, as

NEW HOMES MONTH

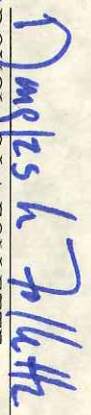
throughout the State of Wisconsin, and I commend this observance to all of our citizens.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have
hereunto set my hand and caused the Great
Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed.
Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison
this 22nd day of March 2013.


SCOTT WALKER
GOVERNOR



By the Governor:


DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE
Secretary of State